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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In The Matter of:

APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE GAS
AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR AN
ADJUSTMENT OF ITS ELECTRIC
AND GAS BASE RATES

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CASE NO. 2008-00252

PETITION FOR FULL
INTERVENTION OF THE KROGER COMPANY

Pursuant to K.R.S. §278.310 and 807 KAR 5:001 Section 3(8), The Kroger Company (“Kroger”) requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above captioned proceeding and states in support thereof as follows:

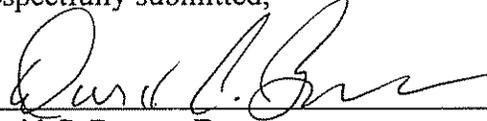
1. Kroger operates a substantial number of retail stores and distribution centers throughout the service area of Louisville Gas & Electric Company (“LG&E”) and purchases electric energy for these facilities from LG&E. Electric service represents a significant cost of doing business for Kroger. Kroger therefore has a special interest in this proceeding in that the Application may have a significant impact on the rates paid by Kroger to LG&E. The position of Kroger cannot be adequately represented by any existing party. Kroger intends to play a constructive role in the Commission’s decision making process herein and its participation will not unduly prejudice any party.

2. The attorney for Kroger authorized to represent it in this proceeding and to take service of all documents is:

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WHEREFORE, Kroger requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David C. Brown", written over a horizontal line.

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CERTIFICATE

A copy of the foregoing Petition for Full Intervention has been served by United States mail on the following persons this the 17th day of August, 2008:

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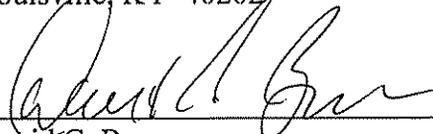
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